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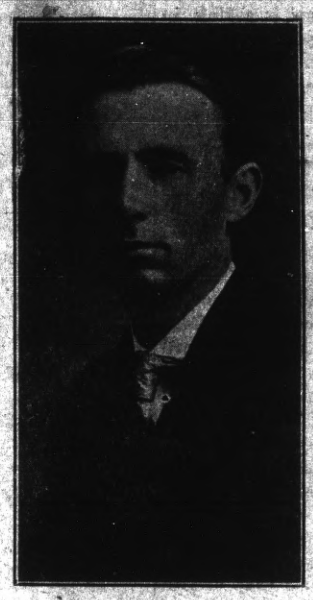
$98,000 Worth of Harbor Work Is Now Under Way

With the agreement between the City of Richmond and the Bay Counties Land company now signed by both sides, and with $98,000 immediately available, improvement work in the inner harbor will start immediately. Of the municipal and harbor bond money the city council has availed $78,000 and to it has been added $20,000 appropriated by the Bay Counties Land Company.

The construction of a bulkhead along the east side of the northern arm of the inner harbor from Eighth street south to the main basin, thence semi-circling the basin on its eastern bank and continuing south to Nineteenth street, will be immediately started. The bulkheading will conform to the original surveys of the harbor engineers. Dredging work will be imstarted at once and it is estimated that enough submarine mud will be dredged from the bottom to reclaim one hundred acres of land behind the bulkheads.

Of this one hundred acres the city of Richmond is to own twenty and the Bay County land company the remainder, that company having agreed to sell the acerage to factories at a low figure. Three concerns are said to be waiting the reclamation of this land, to locate factories here.

This work is but the first unit of the immense harbor work as proposed by the United States engineers and which in full extends to Point Isabel, south of Stege. With Federal appropriations from year to year the work will progress as additional harbor room is needed for expanding Richmond, "the place where rail and water meet."



J. N. LONG
The Next State Assemblyman For Contra Costa County

R. H. Cornell, former popular manager of the Richmond theater, has purchased the confetti concession for the Fourth of July celebration for $50, and will have many stands and scores of distributors

Celebration Program Is Improving With Each Day

With the addition of new, novel and spectacular features to the program of the two day's Fourth of July celbration almost every hour of the day, and night for that matter for so hard is manager A. C. Faris working, the Third and Fourth promises to be days of unprecedented activity, even for celebration days.

The features of the program are so multitudinous that no attempt has been made toward arranging them in a program as yet. The Third will be given over to the reception of out of towners with athletic and acquatic games in the afternoon, the whole town and especially Macdonald avenue bursting into a blaze of lights and color in the evening for the Madri Gras ball. The Fourth will be the day of the immense parade, presided over by the Goddess of Liberty, the election of whom is now raging. A handsome float, the northern hemisphere surmounted by the royal throne in which the Goddess will sit, is planned to lead the parade.

In the afternoon will be the day time features of the celebration, the races, etc., and in the evening nearly a thousand dollars worth of fireworks will be sent up in smoke.

Write your friends across the bay, up county and up state to come and see you and Richmond on the Third and Fourth. They will do so and thank you for a good time.

Goddess of Liberty Standings

The standing of the Goddess of Liberty contest at noon today was:

Miss Bessie Fitzgerald	16,500
Miss Clara Monroe	13,000
Miss Harriett McCoy	7,000
Miss Elma Lackey	6,516
Miss Louie	2,670
Miss Dolly Kovec	1,100

MOVE IS LAUNCHED FOR NEW CHARTER

The petition filed a few days ago by Attorney Henry J. Wildgrube with the city clerk, asking that a board of freeholders to draft a new charter be named at a special election has been referred to the county clerk to verify. The petition was signed by 927 voters of the city.

Just what plans the people behind the movement have in regard to a new charter is unknown, for the promoters of the project are not as yet known, but it is tumored that it is the intention of them favoring a new charter to have nearly all city officials elected instead of appointed as at present and to have less than nine city councilmen and to pay more salary. At present each of the nine councilmen receive $50 per month.

County Clerk Wells, who is verifying the petition, states that he will give out a statement upon its sufficiency within the next few days.

WILSON AND MARSHALL ARE NOMINATED BY DEMOCRATS

President Woodrow Wilson and Vice-President Thomas Riley Marshall were nominated by the National Democratic convention in session at St. Louis, yesterday, to succeed themselves at the election this fall.

William Jennings Bryan, upon the invitation of the Convention, spoke, praising the policy of the administration and pledging his support for the nominees re-election.

RICHMOND MAN SURVIVOR OF WRECKED S. S. "BEAR"

Among the survivors landed at Eureka from the wrecked Steamer "Bear" was Charles M. Austin, until six months ago a resident of Richmond. He was an experienced truck driver and manager of the local agency for the San Francisco Motor Drayage company, which company handled the hauling for the Municipal Improvement company during its work on Cutting Boulevard in 1915. He has scores of friends on the west side.

L. R. Mead, owner of the Byron Hot Springs and hotel, died in San Francisco Tuesday.

Rotten Roadhouses Disgrace to County

For a while the County Supervisors and the District Attorney seemed to have the good and laudable intention of making the keepers of roadhouses, bawdy housses, booze emporiums, dance halls and other way stations on the road to Hell, obey the laws the same as decent people have to, but now they are lapsing back again to the old time practice of making every respectable citizen live up to the law and letting the booze harterers, pimps and prostitute do pretty much as they please.

This causes the people to believe and say to one another that their officials have sold out to the liquor interests and passion panderers who are always willing to pay for immunity. This is probably erroneous, but that is what the people think and what they say, just the same. We hear it on the streets and everywhere, and if the officials do not want this opinion to prevail they can easily put a stop to it by simply enforcing the law and playing no favorites.

Places of ill repute have no right to break laws any more than any of the rest of us have. We all have to obey the law and so should they, and when any official winks at or sidesteps these daily and nightly infractions he violates his oath of office and forfeits his own right to the respect and confidence of those who honored him with their preference and votes.

The News is waging no warfare against saloons as long as the law licenses them to do business, but contends that they should and must obey the laws just the same as everybody else has to do, and in this respect all saloons and all public officials look alike to us.

The Supervisors should not have granted a renewal of licenses to the Chateau resort or to the Six Belles roadhouse, and the District Attorney should have prevented it in both instances. They are both persistent law breakers, and the Supervisors know it, the District Attorney knows it and everybody else knows it.

And it is easy to prove, if the officials so desire. We will furnish the District Attorney with proof if he wants it, that the Six Belles hellhole runs gambling games wide open and sells liquor at all hours of the night. One man we know of dropped nearly $200 there in a gambling game a few nights ago, at an hour long past midnight. Do you want the proof, Mr. District Attorney? Then come and get it.

No proof was needed in the Chateau case, as the proprietor pleaded guilty and was fined $50. Yet his license was renewed. WHY?

He pleaded guilty and his license should have been revoked.

Dance, Prizes, and Parade Mark Big Prosperity Week

That the Richmond merchants can sure do things right was proven by the big and popular dance given by them as a social climax to their Prosperity Week, in Kozy Kove last night. Over a thousand people surged and eddied through the park, and several hundred couples alternately danced on the pavilion floor. Fifteen gate prizes and five elimination dance prizes were awarded.

One of the largest public demonstrations ever held in Richmond was that of the Home Prosperity Parade held on Monday night when nearly two hundred motor vehicles of all sizes and uses, paraded the main streets of both the west and east sides of Richmond.

Prominent in the line of parade were the motor truck floats of the Pacific Porcelain ware company and the Pullman company, the former showing off to good advantage the products of the concern, and the latter from a decorative art standpoint. Three big trucks of the Standard Oil were in line one bearing the musicians of the Richmond Concert Band. Some of the progressive merchants distributed free samples of their wares from autos in the parade.

The entire parade was well managed by Bert Wierda, who will also be grand marshall of the Fourth of July parade.

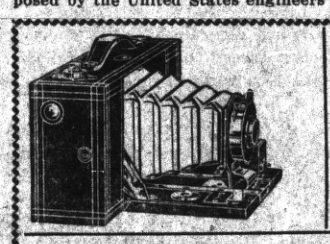
And the farce of fining people like that, $50 for lawbreaking is the rawest joke of any. What do they care about that? They make it back next night. A thousand dollar fine and three months in jail or on the rock pile would teach them a much needed lesson.

Editor Norman H. Matson, formerly with this paper said a public official did that which was wrong, and for saying it he was given a sentence of $400 or three months in jail.

Are saloon keepers, gamblers and prostitutes around here better than editors and more privileged to overstep the statutes?

It would seem so.

Well, here is one editor that claims to be pretty nearly as good as any bleary-eyed bartender on earth, and just as good, also, as any public official sworn in to enforce the laws. And as this editor has got to obey the laws or go to jail he proposes to insist in no uncertain tones that others are compelled to do likewise, and among the others aforesaid are fallen women, fallen men, and officials who soon will be falen if they don't quit stumbling.



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Sisters Install and Knights Dine

Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters have elcted Mrs. Eliza Hill as the installing officer for the installation ceremony to be performed on the occasion of the induction of the temple's new officers, July 15. Mrs. Eliza Hill has signified her intention of appointing Past chief Mrs. Mary Tubbs to the position of installing officer.

Good Actors At Wesley Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. William Morton Rasmus will present Correllis' Barabis at the 11 o'clock service at the Wesley M. E.shurch Sunday morning. Barbaras is the greatest of all biblical stories and Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus are stage people of genuine ability, and also consecrated cultured Christians. The usual opportunity of hearing these rare artists in Richmond is the result of a special effort of Rev. Linder, Wesley's pastor. The unusualness of having stage people in a church pulpit on a Sunday morning is accounted for by the high religious significance of the story and the genius and Christian character of the interpreters.

YEOMEN MEMORIAL SERVICES AT WESLEY

The Richmond lodge of Yeomen, will hold their annual memorial services in the Fesley M. E. Church on Sunday evening, June 18th. The affair will be in charge of the officials of the lodge, and the special music will be by the large chorus choir of the Wesley church, directed by Prof. Dillon, assisted by soloists and orchestra. The Memorial address will be by Rev. Frank Linder, the Wesley pastor.

SUBWAY IMPROVEMENT WORK WILL COST $30,000 BUT COST WHO IS ?

State Railway commission engineers estimate that the improvement of the subway, according to plans submitted by the city engineer would cost $30,000. Such an improvement would consist of widening the roadway through the subway by removing the steel pillars in the center, paving the entire subway floor from wall to wall, replacing the short girders supporting the tracks with longer ones and providing a suspended sidewalk for pedestrians along the northeast wall of the subway.

The Southern Pacific has declared its intention of not doing the work, and the city is considering the advisability of filing a formal complaint with the railway commission.

Petersen-Tucker Wedding Is Held

Principal Bert X. Tucker, of the Richmond Union High School married Miss Ruth Peterson, vice-principal and head of the history department, at a quiet wedding in the First Congregational church of Oakland Wednesday noon. The couple immediately departed for Los Angeles by steamer, and will spend a fortnight honeymoon in the southland.

The marriage has been expected by friends of the couple and students of the local high school for some time, and all will be glad to hear of the performance of the ceremony. Returning to Richmond the couple will reside in the Tucker residence on Eleventh street.

STATE DRUIDS MAY MEET HERE IN 1917

With John Hansen, Ben Brignone and Charles Ceredoni, Richmond lodge of Druids delegates to the convention at Modesto, pulling strong for Richmond for the 1917 convention of that order, and official invitations issued by the city clerk, it looks as if Richmond will pe the meeting place for that order next year.

SAN PABLO AVENUE WORK WILL BE AGAIN ADERTISED

The City council will re-advertise for bids for the improvement of San Pablo avenue for a mile along the eastern city limit. The contract was once let to the Municipal Improvement company for about $32,000 but too efficient "pruning" of the advertisement for bids caused the attorney of the local street improvement company to shy, fearing that such an abbreviated advertisement for bids might abbreviate the chances of the company receiving pay for its work.

THREE INITIATED AT BUSY B. R. T. MEETING

At a busy meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen held in W. O. W. hall Wednesday afternoon three new members were initiated into the order. They were Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. Marguerite Scott, and Mrs. Mary Fulenwider.

Following the induction ceremonies an excellent banquet was given in honor of the new members.

SPINNETS BACK TWENTIETH

Word was received from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spinney, delegates to the conventions of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and of the auxiliary, respectively, that they would return from Detroit, the Convention city on June 20.

AN OLD SCOTCHMAN SAID, "MANY A MICKLE MAKES A MUCKLE"

It's the *little* things in life that count!

SMALL SAVINGS

into fortunes mount!! Day by day, and month by month, finally spans the rounding year: those who save the sums they may, have no thought of want to fear.

THRIFT IS LIFE'S MOST RADIANT GEM

It makes for health; contentment too—and whether man or woman, girl or boy, this *saving* sermon is penned for YOU! With truth and conviction each sentence rings; suggestions if followed, great happiness brings. Resolve as you read this little rhyme, to take unto your heart the truth—that fleeting are the "wings of Time," and SAVE, while yet the morning sun gilds the wondrous hours of youth!

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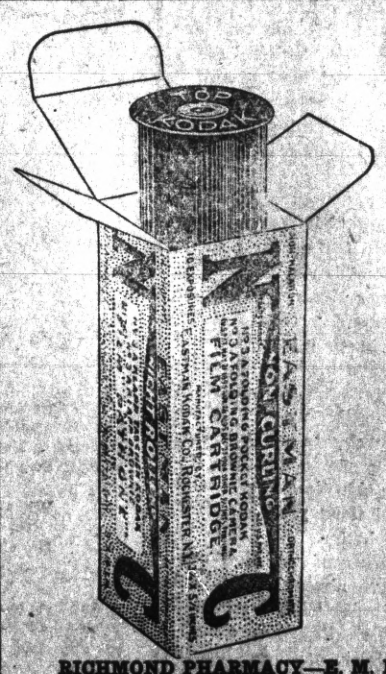

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VOTE AGAINST BEING SHOT

Now, boys, let's talk politics a few moments, for it is very important to you, and to all of us. You are going to be called upon to go to the polls this fall and again vote for a President of the United States and for the administration of the affairs of this government—your government—our government—by one of the two great political parties of this country—the greatest and grandest country on the face of the earth if we can only get it under the control of the right kind of men.

Either President Wilson or Justice Hughes is going to be the next president, with their respective parties and what they stand for behind them. Neither one of them suits this writer by a long shot, but as one or the other is bound to be elected and go into control we intend to vote for the least of two evils. A vote for any of the side issue parties is lost, as far as present results are concerned, and is therefore half a vote for Hughes and the Republican party, as most Socialists would vote for Wilson and the Democracy if they did not vote the Socialist ticket.

This scribe does not know how you are going to vote, but guesses it will be mixed—some Republican, some Democratic and some Socialist. He is simply going to tell you how he intends to vote, and why and then you can do as you deem best about doing likewise or otherwise.

In our humble judgment, and viewing it, both from a union labor standpoint and the standpoint of the poor man and working man, there is only one choice to make as between Wilson and Hughes and their parties and what they and their parties represent, and that is to vote for Wilson. Of the two men he is the best, and of the two parties the Democratic comes much nearer meeting our ideals and desires, although being far from perfect.

Probably the most important immediate issue of the campaign is the question of "preparedness," which in effect means war or no war in the near future. We are for a medium amount of preparedness, as home defense necessity, and that, also, is what President Wilson and the Democracy stand for. Hughes and his party platform, on the other hand, as you have noted by this time in the dispatches, are for a preparedness that will make this country second to none in the strength and numbers of its army and navy, with a compulsory military education and training on the part of every citizen, all same Germany.

This means war in the near future with some country or other, and maybe with several—it can mean nothing else. No country in the world ever got ready for war on a large scale yet that did not get into war, and this one will be no exception.

There is a happy medium that can be and should be adopted. To use an inelegant but apt expression, there is a difference between scratching oneself and tearing the skin off. In times of war it is the working man and his son that are called out and made to face the shot and shell, and it is his wife and children that have to suffer all the tortures of the damned forever after. Boys, we don't want any of that sort of thing if it can be avoided with honor, and it certainly can be avoided if managed right.

In this connection we have got to give President Wilson and his administration credit for keeping us out of trouble, no matter if they have made some mistakes otherwise. They haven't had time to do very much yet, anyway, and we are in favor of giving them more time and a fair trial.

We have given the other party thirty or forty years on trial and if they have made good, from the standpoint of the poor man, the working man and the common people generally, we cannot see it, and defy you or anybody else to point it out. They can do? It cannot be any worse than the Re- They why not give the other side time to see what publicans have handed us all these years. In fact, any change must be for the better.

We would be highly in favor of the high protective tariff which they have always maintained and now demand again, if it did what is claimed for it—protect American labor. But it does nothing of the sort. American labor has been kicked out of the big protected industries, and imported pauper labor from foreign countries put in its place, at wages that no self-respecting American can exist on. The "protection" of the high tariffs all goes into the pockets of the industries thus "protected." No man can successfully deny this.

The European war has upset all calculations, business and everything else, and so no party could have accomplished much in the way of needed reforms during the present administration of President Wilson, but he has done fairly well, under the corcumstances, and this writer for one is going to give him a vote of confidence this fall.

Speaking editorially of the war preparedness matter, the labor paper of San Francisco, "Organized Labor", has the following very pertinent remarks to make:

Arms and munition manufacturers and all the "infernal interests" which are behind and at the bottom of this artificial agitation to plunge this country into war are still carrying on a campaign of misrepresentation and falsehood through the daily newspapers.

In large industrial centers of the West and Middle West the purchasable and paid press tells in black head lines to its readers that Labor upon the Pacific Coast is unanimously supporting "preparedness parades."

Representations are made that this is due to fear of a Japanese invasion.

The truth is, that Union Labor of California and everywhere else throughout the Nation is unanimously opposed to war, "preparedness parades," or any other propaganda, which fosters and stimulates more hell on this earth.

Daily Liars may drive unthinking men and women into a hysteria, but they cannot fool the intelligent organized workers of this country. They are for peace; they refuse to be killed for glory and greed.

If the silk-tiled gentry and its toadies desire to boost the gore game by participating in preparedness parades, like clowns of a circus, they can, of course, do so; but sane working men and women will keep away from that kind of a show.

ASSEMBLY AND SENATE MATTERS

In suggesting the name of Mr. J. N. Long for the State Assembly, last week, The News seems to have struck a popular chord, for a large number of endorsements have been sent in and said in this office since the paper came out and spoke plainly about Assembly and Senate matters.

We want it distinctly understood right on the commencement that this paper proposes to wage a decent, clean, dignified campaign for the election of its favorites, and will throw no mud or stoop to the many little indecencies so usual in political fights. The opposition will be treated fair and right, and if our side cannot win on its true merits then it will deserve defeat. There should be manhood, honesty, honor and decency about politics as well as in anything else, and while this sort of a campaign will no doubt be somewhat of an inovation along those lines, such will be the policy of The News as long as it is under its present management.

In the first place, we claim that Richmond is entitled to this position of State Assemblyman this time, for the double reason that the upper end of the county had it last time and now is asking, in the person of Mr. Sharkey, for the position of State Senator. The upper end of the county cannot with censistency demand both positions, and as Richmond is the metropolis of the county, has half of the population, half of the voting strength and pays half of the taxes, our demand for the Assembly job this time is entirely consistent, and even modest.

No better man in the whole county can be offered than our Mr. Long. His record is clean and good. He has both ability and integrity. He is a successful business man as a contractor in cement lines. He has been a member of the Board of Education here for years and as such has made a record second to none other. It was Mr. Long who demanded that local labor and local material be used in school construction, and he made it stick, over and above strong opposition and old time custom. His sympathies are with the working man and the poor man, and he came up himself from among the ranks of the common people, but he is not radical along these lines at all, being conservative in everything, but firm. He will make the very best member of the State Assembly that Contra Costa county has sent there for a long number of years, with all due respect to the others who have represented us in that august body.

Antioch, Pittsburg and Martinez offer a candidate for this important position in the person of Mr. W. E. Calahan, and we want to say right now that Mr. Calahan is a very nice man; we like him first rate, and were it any other time than now we would be inclined to support him, but this is the year that the position belongs to Richmond, and the year that Richmond has got to have it.

There are matters of vital importance to Richmond which are to come up before the next session of the Assembly, and Richmond respectfully asks the rest of the county to grant it this one place on the ticket, in order that these vital matters may receive the attention which no one outside of Richmond would be as well qualified to attend to, because of lack of residence here and specific information regarding them. Richmond's large population, large vote and large interests entitle her to this consideration on the part of the rest of the county. Our Mr. Long will give due heed in the legislature to the wishes and rights of the rest of the county, but can and will at the same time attend to Richmond's special wants in the most able and effective manner.

Relative to the Senate, it is hard to dope out just right at present, owing to a seeming lack of interest on the part of the people generally. Mr. Martinelli of Marin county and Mr. Sharkey of Martinez are the candidates for the Republican nomination, and Captain Lent of Martinez wants the Democratic nomination. They are all good men, but if we should make a guess at all at this time we should say that Mr. Sharkey has at present a shade the best of it. Martinelli, however, is an old and trained politician, has a host of friends all over the district, and the race promises to be close enough to be interesting.

A captain of finance is a salaried man who can live within his income.

A party formed to further one man's ambition cannot survive that man's defeat.

A Chinese laundryman in San Francisco is named Fli Hi Bing. He ought to go in for aviation.

The Pennsylvania Legislature designated the daisy as the official state flower. We thought it was the rose—Penrose.

Colorado has a lady state senator, Miss Helen Robinson. We know the rest of the bunch. Most of them are Helen Blazes.

To a man up a tree it looks very much just now as though California politics is a compound of greed, stupidity and graft.

Wall street will pay out $27,000,000 in dividends on bonds and watered stocks this month, not the half of which was honestly earned.

The naval officers are objecting to the monthly ten mile walk they are forced to take. Poor fellows. Why not commute the sentence to golf?

Senator Burton of Ohio is to supplement his salary by lecturing. My goodness! Will this wave of high crime never stop waving? Hearst to the rescue!

There is not going to be any money crisis. If you have collateral you can get money, now or any old time, and if you have no collateral you can't now or ever, unless you have a nerve and force that is of itself collateral.

The Western Union made a loud spiel about pensioning its employes, thus bidding for public applause, but said nothing about increasing the rates on newspaper dispatches to make up for the philanthropy. The W. U. is always actuated by the same Christian spirit a coyote has for a rabbit.

Bulwer Lytton made the wise Richelieu say: "Beneath the rule of men entirely great the pen is mightier than the sword." The dramatist was not rhapodizing nor dealing in extravaganza. He was uttering a truth which is becoming more and more understood and recognized. The sword represents force, and force can be met and overthrown by force, while the pen represents reason and sentiment, against which nothing can long prevail.

The dispatches state that United States citizens have over a billion dollars invested in Mexico, and a Texas paper says that the muts would have done better to have invested it in Texas. Why should Texas protest? It took some thousands of "muts," along in 1830 to 1845, "investing" in what was then Mexico, to bring about the existence of Texas, and some half dozen other proud and passionate Western Commonwealths, as American States. And, we are told history repeats herself.

REFORM YOURSELF, ALSO

The election and the attending happenings should not be allowed to pass over without all of us gaining some good and some moral lessons—at least to the extent of refraining from calling each other liars, thieves and porch-climbers. They certainly point out to us the undeniable fact that man's avarice, greed for office and lust for power are leading him on to deeds of wrong and unholy thoughts and actions in a manner which is truly appalling. We tempt men with money, emoluments or liquor to sell their manhood and vote against their honest convictions. We say things about those who oppose us which are untrue and we arouse the worst passions over these miserable political battles, and it is a shame and disgrace that it is so.

We cannot hope for reforms until we reform ourselves, and right cannot and will not prevail in this great and glorious country of ours until a better and more perfect feeling of brotherly love for our fellow men has been cultivated.

Let us, then, practice to have more care for the rights and feelings of others, and do unto them as we would they should do unto us. Let us think more of our wives and families, our homes and the teachings of our mothers, and endeavor to suppress as much as possible the terrible fires of evil passions which well up in our hearts and cause us to do things for which we are afterwards ashamed.

Thinks From The Thinkograph

I saw a lot of the new dances at a motion picture show lately. They had all sorts of new names, but I should think the most appropriate for them in a bunch would be the appendicitis squirm.

Necessities keep on getting higher, and so we turn to luxuries.

This war is the crime of the ages, and the warlords are the criminals.

These are busy, strenuous days, and we haven't time to stop and investigate a kiss with a microscope to see if there are microbes in it. Life is too short.

California's new immigration commission will distribute the steerage contribution around the state as it arrives through the canal. It should deodorize some of it to prevent withering the semi-tropical California vegitation.

The ideal man, such as one finds in the novels and in the minds of young, inexperienced women, never did exist in history and does not exist today. As to the ideal woman—well, they are all ideal.

Eliza's crossing on the ice to escape the bloodhounds would be easy to those used to crossing Broadway, New York, State Street in Chicago or Market Street in San Francisco.

When one has lost his job because
Of far too many drinks,
He either blames it on his boss
Or else upon his jinx.

Another ten million dividend for Standard Oil. Wish I had learned to boil oil in youth, instead of spoiling good white paper with cheap ink.

Fashion Note—The correct attire for an afternoon funeral is a frock coat and high silk hat. If you are the corpse the may be omitted.

Matrimony and alimony are getting so closely related that it behoves a fellow to be sure he is right before going ahead.

Colonel Roosevelt says nothing crooked ever proved a winner. Speak for yourself, Theodore, but don't slam the good old corkscrew that way.

A cranky old bachelor back in New York says a married man is one who steals a kiss in early youth and is sentenced to hard labor for life for it. Well, it's worth it.

About the only comfort an old chap gets is that the insurance agents let him alone.

I thoroughly believe in rushing the growler—rushing him clear off the face of the earth.

Dress reform from a current magazine poem: "My love is clad in sunbeams with a rainbow round her brow."

After paying $400,000,000 and no end of blood and lives of American citizens for the Philippines, Uncle Sam has no laugh on the rube who buys a gold brick.

An exchangve remarks that this is a hard old-world and full of trouble. Wrong again. It is just full of foolish people who make trouble.

Life is just one thing after another. Going barefoted will cure corns, but it brings on stone bruises.

Brace up. The big world outside is bright and bustling and all you have to do is to get busy and open it like an oyster. You are not half as wrecked as you imagine.

It is all right to believe that love is blind, if you want to, but just try a sly flirtation with a pretty woman if you want to see what good eyesight your better half has.

An automobile can whip a dog, a chicken or the average pedestrian but there is one man who is not afraid of it, and that is the locomotive engineer in his cab.

Man was made to mourn. There is no doubt of it. After reading all the political gush in the dispatches a fellow is confronted with the hard fact that the only way to get out of this world is to go off somewhere and die.

Contentment is a state of mind
Not tangled with the heart,
As most contented people find
The stomach claims its part.

Both boats and men have to be bailed out sometimes when they get full.

We are told that there are no marriages or giving in marriage in heaven. Said to be a nice place to live in, too.

In prognosticating evil for the administration, our bull moose friends are simply jumping at conclusions, which they should not do. Nobody but a woman is allowed to jump at conclusions—or to jump off a car backward.

A political meeting and a prayer meeting are both very uninteresting, and of the two the prayer meeting is the better.

One sees so many children with their stockings down that it makes one wonder if the women are also bothered that way.

A City Market has put up a sign reading, "Our Wurst Is Best."

COUNTY NEWS

ADVERTISE CONTRA COSTA CO.

Every progressive State, county, city and community nowdays is letting the whole outside world know what, if any, its natural and other advantages are, and Contra Costa County has lagged far behind in this very important matter. The city of Richmond has done more advertising in the past few years than the whole of Contra Costa County has done in all of its half century or more of existence. The Supervisors should by all means take advantage of the law allowing them to levy a tax of two cents on the hundred dollars for such purposes. Nobody is going to kick on giving up two cents out of a hundred dollars, when the results to be achieved will reap benefits for all a thousands times i nexcess of that,

Contra Costa County has just what millions of people all over the world are looking for, but they are not mind-readers and will never know of us if we do not make ourselves known. It is just as much a duty and an advantage for the Supervisors to advertise this county as it is for a merchant to advertise his stock of goods.

Contra Costa County has seventy miles of magnificent waterfront, on two of the biggest and most wonderful bays in the world, every foot of which is valuable for manufacturing and industrial purposes. Along that waterfront comes the great hydroelectric power lines from the Sierra Nevadas, bringing no end of cheap power. Along that waterfront comes the great oil pipe lines bringing the bulk of the product of California oil fields to Richmond, to one of the biggest oil refineries in the world, giving no end of cheap fuel for power and fuel purposes, bringing it 300 miles from the interior of the State. Along that waterfront are located dozens of splendid industrial plants, and hundreds more will come in the future years. Ocean-going vessels ply along that waterfront, and two great transcontinental railroads skirt its shores. Back from it, in the interior of this county, is one of the most productive adgricultural sections on earth; and behind and over all is this matchless, perless climate. Good Lord, can you beat it anywhere on earth? You cannot, as you know, but the fact remains that the millions out in the world whoare looking for all these advantages and opportunities do not know, and never will know unless we bring it to their attention.

DO IT NOW!

The Masons of Contra Costa county will have their annual "get-to gether" meeting at Brentwood, Sunday, June 25th. An automobile tour is to be the chief feature of the day and the visitors will be given an opportunity to view the great irrigation system of Brentwood. A banquet will be served in the Hotel Brentwood and everything will be done to make the day pleasant for the visitors.

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT

One man was killed almost instantly, two women and three men more or less badly injured in an automobile accident in the town of Nichols about 5 o'clock Sunday morning.

The dead is: Andre Giulialmoni, proprietor of the Nichols Hotel, back broken.

The injured are: Miss Mary Alamando, bruises and internal injuries; One woman and three men cuts and bruises.

Giulialmoni, driving his new Overland touring car with the five friends was en route to Pittsburg to enjoy breakfast. Rounding a scharp corner at a speed too great for safety, the machine skidded into the grass and Giulialmoni, having driven the car for only one month was unable to right the machine which completely overturned, throwing the two women and three men clear of the wreckage but pinioning the driver under the car. Help was speedily summoned but Giulialmoni was dead when taken from under the car, his back having been broken. Miss Almando, cousin of Giulialmoni had arrived at Nicrols just 25 days ago from Italy. She was brought to the Martinez hospital on the evening train Sunday and although suffering from internal injuries, will recover.

A sad feature of the affair is that Giulialmoni's wife on Saturday evening only a few hours before the fatal accident gave birth to a child at the home of friends in Oakland.

The board of supervisors have called for bids for final surfacing of the Walnut Creek tunnel road. Ten miles of roadway are to be surfaced and the work will be rushed as soon as the contracts are let. Bids are to be opened on June 30th.

The Associated Oil company has awarded more contracts for construction work in various lines at the Avon refinery. The Atlas Heating and Ventilating Company has the contract for installing the ventilators in the club house and McDonald & Kahn have contracted for the building of an addition to the boiler house and main pumping plant at a cost of $8672.

Referring to the strike now on at Crockett, the Signal says: To judge from appearances the stranger would not know there was a strike on. Everything is absolutely quiet. The men who are on strike and reside here will never be the cause of any trouble of any kind. They are all law-abiding citizens, and believe in upholding and obeying the laws of the land. Among the strikers are some of the best citizens of the community, and under no circumstances, however provoking, would they countenance any kind of violence. They are honest in standing for a principle, and what they conscientiously believe to be right. If any disturbance is created, it will come from hot-heads who do not reside in this community.

ARTISTIC PRINTING

That is what The News Printing office will from now on make a specialty of.

This printing will be "Something Different." It will be just what the words imply--Artistic Printing.

—New material and new artisans have been purchased and employed. Among other things, The Thinkograph magazine is now printed at the News office, and a number of artistic booklets and pamphlets which that publication puts out all over the United States. This has to be and is high-class art printing, and we want to get up something of that sort for you any time you want it—something new, unique, artistic and right up to date.

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The News Job Printing Dep't

Thirty boys of the Crockett Y. M. C. A. have gone to Bear River near Colfax where Camp Carquinez will be established and where the boys will spend their summer vacation.

Conrad Lemp a well known resident of Giant has been appointed postmaster at the powder works post office. Lemp expects to take charge about July 1st.

Contracts for eleven new homes for employees were let by the Atlas Powder company at Giant. The estimated cost of the dwellings is $17,000.

The county library is in receipt of drafts from the Cowell Portland Cement Co. for the sums of $50.00 each for the two branch libraries at Concord and Antioch to be used for the cement work.

Marshall Ben V. Soto of Concord has disappeared and it is claimed there is a shortage of about $700 in his accounts. Henry Ivey was appointed his successor.

Capt. C. W. Lent, one of the best known men of Eastern Contra Costa announces his candidacy for the office of State Senator, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the approval of the voters at the August primary.

Harvesting is the busy word throughout the Byron grain sections. The great threshing machines and harvesting outfits are humming away as the crops are being gathered. In some sections the barley and hay are above the average.

It will be an all county celebration at Lafayette on the completion of the satin finish surfaced Tunnel Highway. It is not expected that the happy day will be earlier than August 7, as the road is to be surfaced after the concrete is completed. That takes time and it is the aim of the supervisors to make it the finest road in the State both as to foundation and surfacing.—Contra Costa Courier.

All the warehouse employees at the grain warehouses along the waterfront at Crockett are still out on strike. The advance in wages has been offered the men but the sticking point is the signing of an agreement for a closed shop. Fifty-five carloads of barley are standing on the tracks at the warehouses up the line waiting to be unloaded.

Port Costa is all swelled up because a pupil in the grammar school stands the highest of the graduating class and also has the highest grade in the County. Jeremiah Lucey received 97 per cent, lacking 3 per cent of being perfect.

Prof. John McIvor, principal of the Port Costa grammar school, and Prof. W. R. Lane, principal of the Pittsburg grammar school, were appointed as new members of the county board of education, by the board of supervisors, to fill the expired terms of Alice Kelly of Martinez, and C. H. Jones of Richmond.

Judge, A. B. McKenzie has set Monday June 19th as the time for making a partial distribution of the $25,000 estate of Mrs. George Loomis of Richmond; $8500 will be divided between Mrs. Bertha Zicle and Loomis at that time.

An eighty-five-foot flag pole and a large American flag have been procured by residents of Hercules for the park grounds. Flag raising day will be celebrated at Hercules Park on Saturday afternoon, July 1, and an extensive progrem has been prepared for the occasion.

The Hercules Powder company is putting in a fine bridge over Pinole Creek near the S. P. depot. Heavy, firm pilings have been driven and the upper span of the bridge consists of extra heavy timbers and planking, which will be covered with rock and asphalt.

Pittsburg is ambitious to become a model city and proposes to employ the best talent obtainable and get expert advice in planning its industrial section, its parks, playgrounds and resident districts on scientific principles and has made arrangements to employ Dr. Werner Hegemann, who is considered the highest authority on city planning in America. Pittsburg has grown from a fishing village of about a thousand people to a compact little city of 5,000 in the last three or four years. Dr. Hegemann says that city planning is insurance against waste of public and private funds, and means the co-ordination of the activities that make for the growth of the city.

COMING EVENTS

June 24—Grand Ball by the Jolly Four at East Shore Park; Schwartz orchestra.

June 14—Chicken whist, by Fraternal Brotherhood at Fraternal hall. Twenty-five cents for score cards.

TWO RICHMONDERS SPEND NIGHT ON BAY IN OPEN BOAT

Robert Gruenhagen and Ed. Dearborn, well known Richmond plumber and grocer respectively, spent last Sunday drifting with the tides of the bay, when in returning from El Campo in Dearborn's gasoline launch the engine ceased functioning.

After drifting up and down the fog shrouded bay with the in-coming and outgoing tides, the boat in the early morning was grounded on Sheep Island, where the hog ranch is. They were brought ashore by a fisherman.

RICHMOND WATER DISTRICT BOARD MAY RESIGN

Convinced that in their investigations during the past two years into feasible water supplies for the city of Richmond that they have about completed their service to the city of Richmond and to the Richmond Water district, the several members of that board at a recent meeting agreed that if negotiations for another possible supply are not successful, they will all resign and allow the water district to lapse.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16—At a dinner and meeting held at the St. Francis Hotel Wednesday afternoon, the Commonwealth Club of California considered a report of the committee on the bay cities' water supply. The committee is composed of representatives from all of the bay cities, including San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley, Palo Alto, Richmond, Piedmont, Alameda, Redwood, San Mateo, Menlo Park, Niles and San Leandro, and has been studying for the last year a district plan of co-operation to secure an adequate water supply for all communities concerned. Among the speakers will be C. E. Grunsky, John D. Galloway, H. D. Dewell and George T. Klink.

PANTAGES HAS BILL OF MERIT

Enormous trained sea lions, the largest of the furred amphibians of Alaska, and hitherto considered untamable, this week are the animal actors that have set Oakland and the East Bay cities talking. At the Oakland Pantages these remarkable brutes, puzzles alike to scientists and aminal tamers, performs feats never before attempted by creatures of the deep;—they present a whole act under water. Even ordinary seals have never been taught before to act under water—for under water the seal or the sea lion fears no man. But R. W. Winston, famous son of a famous seal trainer, so knows his animals that they obey his slightest command.

Harry Hammond of the Byron Times, returned a check for five dollars to the Pittsburg Chautauqua committee which had been sent to the paper for publicity purposes, saying he was glad to aid the Chatauqua and help make it a success. Well, what do you know about that.

Classified Ads

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Tickets will also be sold to Buffalo, N. Y., July 4, 5, and 6, August 1, 2, and 3; to Cincinnati, Ohio, July 11, 12 and 13; to Davenport, Ia., July 26, 27 and 28; to Chattanooga, Tenn., September 11 and 12.

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NOTICE

There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment (No. 3) levied on the 17th day of April, 1916, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective stockholders, as follows:

Names	Certificate No.	No. Shares	Amt.
John Baird	64	1	.30
J. L. Rihn	66	4	1.20
Alexander Elsie	92	50	15.00
Ivan Conn	105	2	.60
G. P. Ingram	140	1	.30
F. McCauley	149	1	.30
Louis D. Ceasar	154	1	.30
Scott Melville	158	1	.30
M. J. Fitzgerald	178	1	.30
C. B. O'Hara	179	187	56.10
	201	2	.60
	203	3	.90
	(Not issued.)	143	42.90
R. M. Washburn	19	5	1.50
	157	2	.60
William Berry	82	2	.60
T. G. Conn	44	2	.60
	104	16	4.80
T. I. Cole	4	1	.30
	193	2	.60

And in accordance with law, and an order of the board of directors, made on the 17th day of April, 1916, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, 250 6th street, Richmond, Cal., on Saturday, June 10th, 1916 at the hour of 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

R. W. SEAMANS, Secretary.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF DELINQUENT SALE

The day fixed for the sale of stock non-payment of above assessment has been postponed to 7:30 P. M. Saturday the 8th day of July 1916. By order of board of Directors, R. W. SEAMANS, Secretary Office—No. 250, 6th Street, Richmond, Cal., June 6th, 1916.

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LOCAL NEWS

While in Stockton on Sunday last the Redmen of the local tribe did much publicity work for the big Third and Fourth celebration to be held here in Richmond. Over a score of the local tribe were in the Slough city to participate in the big competitive drill between the cities of Stockton, Fruitvale and Richmond, which was taken by the Fruitvale Indians.

According to a communication received from the superintendent of motor vehicles of California by City Attorney D. J. Hall there is no minimum age at which auto drivers are forbidden to drive machines, unless they act in the capacity of chauffeurs.

Any who think they have suffered at the hands of the Pacific Jewelry firm of San Francisco which conducted a silverware club here a few months ago on a certain installment plan, are asked to communicate with the District Attorney's office, which office holds a $100 cash bond from the silver ware company.

R. R. Case, 217 Bissel avenue, is at the Morton Hospital where he is being treated for heart trouble.

Arrangements for the annual installation of officers were made by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters, at their meeting in Pythian Castle. Mrs. Marian Tubbs was elected installing officer. The date for the rites was set for July 15. Participation in the July 4th parade was discussed. The lodge voted to participate.

Arrangements have been completed by the Masters and Past Masters Association of Alameda and Contra Costa counties for their annual outing, to be held at Fernbrook Park, Niles canyon, on St. John's Day, June 24. A special train from Oakland to the picnic ground has been arranged.

The Midsummer Ball of the Jolly Four social club will be held in East Shore pavilion, June 24.

City attorney D. J. Hall was up from his vacation headquarters in Mount Hermon, where he and his family are getting back to nature for a fortnight, to attend the city council meeting Monday night. He reported the big Richmond colony in the Santa Cruz county beauty spot to be flourishing and getting tanned. Among the Richmonders there are a number enjoying the hospitality of Rev. Sanborn and family. They are Miss Myrtle Welsh, Miss Marcia Hulaniski, Miss Helen Angell, and Miss Winifred Conwell, Miss Conwell joining the colony Wednesday of this week.

In the Yonce and Winfree stores Richmond now has two gents' furnishing stores of which it may well be proud. There is nothing nicer in this line around the bay and they meet Oakland and San Francisco competition, and often even beat that.

We are now getting in touch with the right parties over in San Francisco relative to the nefarious fish trust that is robbing us all every day of our lives, and will have something interesting to impart shortly. The News is either going to make that rascally outfit lower prices or suffer consequences.

Keep in touch with News advertisers. They have good bargains to offer and will save you money if you watch their specials. The merchants who use these columns will sell you goods just as cheap as you can get them in any other coast city, and if you will investigate this you will find that it is true on an average. It is, as a rule, the fellow that does not advertise that sticks you on the price. He does not come out in public and quote prices.

Publicity builds a city. The local newspapers give the publicity, and those who sell goods to the thousands who have been and are continually attracted hither by that publicity owe a big moral debt to the newspapers, and should give them liberal support.

Lew Brandenberg, 20, recently arrested for plundering a local bicycle shop has been placed on probation by assistant district attorney A. S. Ormsby, such an action being in line with Ormsby's commendable theory of "Human Salvage."

Four lodges of Rebekahs and Odd Fellows of Richmond held their annual memorial services in Fraternal hall Tuesday night of this week, the addres of Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, of the First Christian church and Rev. Frank Linder of the Wesley M. E. Church being the leading features of the excellent program.

Hays & Keuffer, the Berg Bros. land salesmen, have taken over the selling of the Turpin tract in the vicinity of Pennsylvania, Lucas, Sixth and Tenth streets, and will launch a selling campaign in the immediate future. They will establish down-town offices.

The hundreds of Richmond friends of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy L. Dell, former chief clerk of the mechanicad department of the Santa Fe, tendered the couple a farewell reception prior to their departure for Mendocino county last week.

R. Taylor, pumper at the Standard Oil company, filed suit against his wife for divorce on the grounds of desertion. They are old residents of Richmond.

Mrs. Rose Mederos and Mrs. Helen Marques occupy cells in the county jail, awaiting trial for grand larceny committed in San Pablo, while the police of the bay cities are looking for Ed. Epstein who is said to have prompted the women to burglary. Both are young, only 20 years of age, the former having been jailed once before for vagrancy in Portland.

Hiring an Oakland contractor, the Atlas Powder company of Giant has let contracts for $17,000 worth of new buildings for employes. The houses are eighteen in number.

Ten thousand Flag day patriots celebrated the fourth annual commoration of that event in the Greek theater in Berkeley Sunday afternoon. Several hundred Elks, G. A. R., U. S. W. V., and the auxiliaries of those orders, attended from Richmond, taking prominent parts in the impressive and beautiful ceremonies.

A cabaret show rivaling those shown in the epicurean pleasure cafes of San Francisco and New York will be given in the club rooms of the local Elk lodge on the night of June 22. Chester Prouty is the able manager of the affair.

A novel and "should-be" popular entertainment will be given by the ladies of the First Methodist church on the evening of June 22. It will be a parcel post sale, and many good bargains will be offered, and all will be served refreshments. Mrs. Charles Adams, Mrs. A. Charles and Mrs. P. E. Peterson are in charge of the parcel post, and Mrs. Nettie Grover and Mrs. James Kester of the refreshments.

The illness of Miss Florence Montgomery of Decatur, Ill., who is in Richmond to wed E. F. Inman of this city, caused the postponement of the nuptials, last Monday. The wedding was to have been at the home of the bride's-to-be brother. 435 20th street. Dr. Vestal is in attendance.

Mrs. Georgiana Messerle secured a divorce and much of the property from her husband Gottlieb Messerle, wealthy Richmond landlord, in Martinez Monday. Although the divorce case was pending the settlement was made out of court.

T. J. Darrach of Duluth, Minn. was killed when he leaped beneath the wheels of a Southern Pacific locomotive near Giant, Monday morning. He had a journeyman boilermaker's card.

The Machanics Bank has voted to increase its capital stock from $50,000 to $100,000, such being pursuant with the policy adopted shortly after the succession of John Nicholl to B. H. Griffins, as the bank's president.

Mayor Garrard, Mrs. E. J. Garrard, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cassidy, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gates are motoring in Southern California, and plan to visit the San Diego fair.

Allowing a milk bottle, which fell from his milk wagon to remain broken on the street, caused the arrest and fining of G. H. Barnum. The complaint was made by Mayor Garrard and the fine of $10 was set by Judge Hiram Jacobs.

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LATEST LABOR NEWS

Norman H. Matson Thanks Union Men of Richmond

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With my fine so nearly raised, by you loyal and big hearted union men of Richmond, it seems only fitting that I should try at least to express a part of my gratitude to you that have stood by me and the principle for which we are all fighting, and for which we must all fight incessantly, until the dawn of a better day. To remain silent at such a time would seem the essence of ingratitude but so full is my heart that words will not come with which to properly thank you who have worked hard and even harder for the prevention of my imprisonment.

Frankly, though you union men of Richmond were always most responsive and warm friends of mine while I was in Richmond and during my trial; I did not expect the money for the paying of my fine to come from you. It was only reasonable that you should consider your work done after expending thousands for my defense. If the money was to be raised I thought it would surely come from the unions of San Francisco and of the state, and would be given in rather an unsympathetic and grumbling mood. The surprise was most agreeable, both as an example of solidarity and of forgiving tolerance.

Had not the money been raised my imprisonment would have followed, so far as I have any knowledge of the situation, for I was in no position to pay the fine. An application for probation, made as it necessarily would have to have been, to a certain county authority and couched in the most servile and slavish of terms would have been equally impossible for one who desired to retain some semblance of respect and spirit.

And my good Richmond friends will certainly wish me to retain that if I am ever again to be able to serve them, and in some small measure to repay them for the great and continued interest they have taken in me and my predicament.

Yours sincerely,
NORMAN H. MATSON

HERE'S WHERE WE EAT

G. A. Turner, superintendent of the Old River Farms company, of Union Island, was a visitor to the Times office during the week. He was made more than welcome, particularly as he brought with him a sack of those famous pink beans for which his tract isc noted. The editor assumes in advance that they are all that they are represented to be. We shall invite Editor Hulaniski to dine with us and sample them. He's an expert on all vegetables.—Byron Times.

The "intellectual trades" are getting the union spirit. At a meeting of the Authors' League of America held in New York last week, it was decided to submit the question of affiliation with the American Federation of Labor to a referendum vote of the league's membership, which comprises about 1300 writers throughout the country.

Long ago, a wise man said, "In unity is strength,' and time has not lessened the force of his saying, for it is ecertainly applicable to the cause of organized labor today. Now what is the idea which should unite the workers of this and every country? It is self-protection.

General President P. H. McCarthy and First Vice-President Frank J. McDonald of the State Building Trades Council of California were visitors at the meeting of the Building Trades Council at Oakland Tuesday evening. The chief object of the visit was to advise the Council in connection with the condition under which the new factory building of the Chevrolet Automobile Company is being erected. Besides discussing the Chevrolet factory case, McCarthy spoke at some length in connection with the proposed great peace parade to take place on next Labor Day. The San Francisco Building Trades Council has taken the initiative in this matter and has invited the San Francisco Labor Council to participate in such a parade. The various Building Trades Councils and Labor Councils in the bay counties will be asked to join with the San Francisco workers, to make the parade the greatest demonstration in the history of the state.

Boost for yourself and those that help you. This is good logic truly, but often thoughtlessly overlooked by those most directly concerned. For instance, how many of you think when you are operating machinery, where, or by whom, it was made. Was it made under good wholesome Union Labor conditions, or was it made in an Eastern so-called open shop?

The toll of human life and limb being exacted by modern industry has reached such startling proportions as to be a serious menace to our national welfare. That it is so recognized is evidenced by the increasing number of laws made to protect life and health, and the marked tendency shown to fix the legal responsibility for accidents.

"A thousand years hence, perhaps in less, the ruins of that liberty which thousands bled for, or suffered to attain, may just furnish materials for a village talc, or extort a sigh from rustic sensibility, while the fashionable of that day, envelop-

STETSON WORKERS ORGANIZING

"The non-union man knows his friends," says the Painter and Decorator ,in discussing the strike of unorganized hatters in the Stetson plant. "When he is in trouble, he always turns to union men for help. He realizes that his fellon non-unionist is as impotent as himself, and that his employer's friendship ceases whenever he dares to assert his right to a voice in determining the conditions under which his work shall be done. A thousand men and women employed by the notorious unfair hat manufacturer, Stetson, ore on strike. They petitioned, interviewed and protested in the hope of securing relief from innumerable petty tyrannies and exactions that made life miserable, but only to meet rebuff. They could either supinely submit or use the weapon of organized labor. They chose to strike. In their time of need they have appealed to the Hatters' union, although they have been one of the greatest hindrances to its progress. Like good union men the hatters have taken up the fight and request union men everywhere to assist these misguided unfortunates in their belated demand for decent working conditions and some measure of industrial independence."

Notice has been given voters, in the form of cards from the county clerk, asking them to designate their party affiliations at least 30 days prior to the August primaries."

WARS ENSLAVE THE WORKERS

It is quite evident and plain that the only workers who participated in the Chicago "preparedness parade" are of the non-union brand, who, like strike-breakers, are paid for their parading, says "Organized Labor."

Free and independent union men and women will not lend their presence to any effort or scheme which has for its aim and purpose the continued enslavement of the workers. They know that kings have always had soldiers and slaves, but the workers generally are becoming more and more convinced that the world can get along better without Armageddons such as took place near Jutland on May 31 and the conflagration which has devasted Europe during the last twenty-two months.

PANAMA HAT OF FINE TEXTURE AT WINFREE'S IS VALUED AT OVER $100

Winfree, the clothier, has a hat in the window of his new store at 617 Macdonald, which is some hat. It is one of the noted "sub-agua constructa sombrero de Pauama" and is valued in excess of $100 These hats, as the name signifies, are woven under water and of the finest fibre obtainable. The hat is the property of Richard Winfree, son of A. A. Winfree, and is a present from a friend in Central America.

EASY MONEY

A builder observed a man standing on the scaffolding with his hands in his pockets, smoking a pipe. He went gently up the ladder, and said:

"Now, I've caught you; we'll have no more of this! Here's your four days pay, and you can consider yourself discharged!"

The man pocketed the money and went away rather quickly.

Just then the foreman came up, and the builder told him what he had done.

"Why," said the foreman, "that man wasn't working for us; he was only asking for a job!"

ed in dissipation, shall deride the principle, and deny the fact."—

General Union Labor Notes

FIREMEN RAISE WAGES.

Omaha, Neb.—Stationary firemen employed at the distillery in this city have increased wages to $22 a week, eight hours a day and six days a week. Former rates were $17.50 a week, 12 hours a day and seven days a week.

LONGSHOREMEN WIN

New York.—Longshoremen employed by the Southern Pacific Steamship company have won their strike for better conditions.

The terms agreed upon are: Thirty five cents an hour for day work, 50 cents an hour for night work, and 60 cents an hour for Sundays, holidays, meal hours and overtime.

GAINS BY PAINTERS

Brooklyn, N. Y..—Brooklyn painters announces that they have won their fight for a $5 wage scale. Over 10,000 workers are benefited. Many New York contractors are resisting the painters' demands, but the unionists are standing firm.

A TARDY JUSTICE

Denver.—Adjutant General Gamble has called for the resignations of a larg number of officers of the state militia. Included in the list is Lieutenant Lindedfelt, who won his coal company spurs at the Ludlow massacre, two years ago; Major Hamrock, Colonel Verdeckberg and others who disgraced their uniform to do the bidding of coal barons.

Canyon City, Colo.—At the request of the district attorney Judge Cooper has dismissed nearly 100 miners who were charged with various crimes in connection with the recent strike of miners in the southern Colorado coal fields. Every miner charged with crime, whose case has been conducted in a court outside the pale where coal is king, has been vindicated, nd nowhere has a conviction been secured except within the borders of that reservation known as 'Colorado's Siberia,' where the jurors were hand picked.

ILL HEALTH OF WORKERS

New York.—At a meeting called by the Women's City Club to discuss the lockout of 60,000 garment workers, Robert W. Bruere, well-known citizen, who is assisting the strikers, said that the average time of employment was 24 weeks out of 52, that the average annual pay was between $300 and $400, that more than 90 per cent were forced to borrow, and that 70 per cent were not in sound health.

"The manufacturers," he said, "have said to the workers, 'We have you where we want you, and we will crush you."

LABOR ITEMS OF INTEREST

"A great Opportunity" pamphlet is adding to the load of the San Francisco mail carriers nowdays. It comes from Sears, Robuck & Co. of Chicago, advertising an unfair Encyclopedia Britannica, a product of non-union printers, which is being boomed and circulated by the big mail house, well known for its employment of non-union teamsters, and jobber for sweat shop articles and scab made goods. This particular work is recommended by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Schwab, Gary and Eliot.

NON-UNION PICNIC A FROST

The picnic of the Circolo Philharmonics, which was held a few days ago at Lafayette park, near Stege, turned out to be a decided frost. This Circolo Philharmonica, whatever that is, has headquarters in the Latin-American hotel, at Stockton and Green street, in San Francisco. The union musicians objected to furnishing music to the outfit, which it is claimed has a scab record, and as they couldn't dance without music they took a few drinks of "Dago Red" and went home.

Crocket Sugar Strike Still On

Despite the conference of over two hours held at the Crockett sugar refinery between General Manager George M. Rolph and Stevedores Union and the mass meeting held later in Crolona Hall, the strike situation at Crockett is unchanged and there is little probability of there being a speedy settlement reached. The union men demand a "closed shop" and 40 cents per hour for men working on refined sugar in the warehouses. Rolph refuses to grant these demands and the result is that the men on strike are still out and the non-union men are continuing to unload the sugar from the ships now at the dock.

LESSON ON FARMERS' STRIKE

Springfield,. Ill—"To us farmers the whole event should be a slogan of strength and a new tie between the factory and the field," writes Secretary Doyle of the State Farmers' union, on the recent strike of milk farmers.

"There were all the typical marks of the effect of their city brothers," continues Secretary Doyle. "The boycott, the picketing, the inevitable, far-reaching injunction, the power of the court used against the strikers—all it lacked was permission from Judge Donnelly for a set of armed thugs to precipitate a general massacre, a mixture of milk and blood."

500 Men On Strike At Martinez

SHELL OIL PLANT DECLARDE UNFAIR—DEPUTY SHERIFFS ON GUARD

The Shell company of California has been declared unfair to organized labor and a general strike declared at the refinery in Martinez of all union men engaged in every kind of construction work. As a result about 50 carpenters walked out Wednesday morning, several electricians and a number of men in other lines, making about 400 men in all on strike.

With the walking out of these men all construction work was practically brought to a standstill, the only large number of men still at work being the office staff, engineering crew and the men engaged in operating the Trumble plant, pump house, boiler house and lubricating stills.

A number of pickets were stationed close to both gates to the refinery and along the streets leading to the works. Several of the men going to work were approached and asked to join the walk out but no force was used.

An immediate request was sent to the Sheriff's office for special deputy sheriffs to preserve order and quell any demonstrations which might be started. This request was granted but the officers will take no part in the controversy except to prevent any violence being resorted to.

The general walk-out was declared when the company officials refused to recognize the committee of the strikers. The manager states that the demands of the men would probably have been granted if the strike had not been declared but that now the company will not deal through any committee and will do business only with the men individually if they wish to return to work. He declared that as yet no move has been made to import strike breakers and that the company will not precipitate any dispute if it can be avoided.

Leaders of the strikers declare that the men will do everything within their power to make the walkout complete and to tie up work until a satisfactory agreement is reached, but that the men on strike will not tolerate if they can help it any violence.

HOD AND CEMENT MEN INITIATE TWENTY-FOUR

Tuesday night the Hodcarriers' Union of Richmond initiated twenty-four new members, thus greatly augmenting their numbers and their strength. Two of the new members are hodcarriers and twenty-two were cement workers, the latter now being combined with the former into one local union.

It now becomes necessary for this local to change its meeting nights from the second and fourth Fridays of each month to the first and third Mondays, and to occupy the large hall in Union Labor Temple instead of the small hall.

Nominations for officers was in order at the last meeting, and all of the present officers were renominated except for the office of treasurer, and there is a good-natured race on for this office between Brothers Sandberg and Rirdon. Nominations will be reopened next meeting night, June 19th, and a large attendance is requested.

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CARIBOU OF THE YUKON.

Caution of an Old Bull in Guiding and Guarding His Herd.

In his book, "Campfires In the Yukon," Harry A. Auer tells how his party watched through powerful glasses an old bull manage a herd of caribou:

"Five miles into the sea of peaks above our camp we saw a herd of thirty-four caribou that had been summering in the high altitudes, but were now driven out by the winter and were on the march to lower levels. There were cows, calves and small bulls in charge and under the strict domination of a fine old bull with a big head, which we decided not to shoot for fear of alarming the sheep that might be within hearing distance.

"We were quite content to watch the old patriarch manage his large family. We saw him lead the way to a small willow patch, and after his flock had browsed a few minutes he deliberately drove them away and headed them down the valley toward us, rushing first on one side and then on the other and finally at the rear of the column, trying to keep his charges from straggling or wandering off the course.

"When the caribou saw us at about 200 yards they started to stampede in different courses, but the old bull ran to the head of the column and changed the leader's course and, utterly regardless of his own danger from us, he rushed about, herding the animals in the way he had selected and was himself the last to follow; and as the flying band vanished around a low ridge the old fellow was charging a few smaller bulls from behind, driving them forward to make a compact formation."

ORIGIN OF WORDS.

Expressions Sometimes Stray From Their Original Meanings.

The word "sweetheart" seems everything it ought to be for expressiveness. One would naturally think that it had been coined for the occasion, like such a word as "honeysuckle."

But that is a delusion and a snare. It has no more to do with "heart" than it has with "lungs." It is a word that belongs to the class which includes "sluggard" and "coward" and "dullard" and "niggard." Pretty company for a poet's word! But it is true, though sad, that "sweetheart" ought to be spelled "sweetard."

Who has not joined in a country dance? Of course the country dance reminds one of maypoles and merrymakings and harvest homes. Sir Roger de Coverley and his quaint rural manners and ways seem inseparably connected with the dance. But it has no more connection with fields and haystacks and cornricks than the turkey trot. The partners in the dance face each other, and the French therefore called it a "contre danse." There you are! The secret's out.

What are "kickshaws?" Just the French "quelques choses," which means "anything."

What is the origin of tramway? It is short for Outram way, because a man named Outram invented them, just as a man named Macadam invented macadamized roads.—London Answers.

Traditions of Mother Shipton.

Of all British prophets Mother Shipton is beyond doubt the most celebrated. She was, in fact, all that a prophet and witch should be, in strange contrast to the serious and scientific Nostradamus. The day she was born the sky became dark and gloomy and, according to her biographer, "belcht out nothing for an hour but flames, thundering after a most hideous manner." Her personal appearance, described by her admiring biographer in 1662, is scarcely flattering: "Her physiognomy was so misshapen that it is altogether impossible to express fully in words or for the most ingenious to line her in colors, though many persons of eminent qualifications in that line have often attempted it, but without success."

His Favorite Phrase.

Once when they were talking literature Mrs. Isobel Strong said to Robert Louis Stevenson, "At least you have no mannerisms," whereupon Stevenson took a copy of his own "Merry Men," which she was reading, out of her hands and read, "It was a wonderful clear night of stars." "Oh," he said, "how many, many times I have written 'a wonderful clear night of stars.'"

A Test Case.

"Father," inquired the small boy, "what's a test case?"

"A test case, my son," replied his parent, "is a case brought into court to decide whether there's enough in it to justify lawyers in working up more cases of the same kind."—Exchange.

These Things Endure.

Some of the things that are not easily worn out by much using: The ground we walk on (but we can exhaust it by bad farming), the love we live by (but we can tarnish it), the mirror in which is reflected the true appearance of things.—Collier's Weekly.

Standing By.

"Didn' Mistoh Pinkly stand by you when de mixup took place?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Whitletree Dawson. "He were standin' by me, jes' close enough to take a good aim when he hit me behind the ear."—Washington Star.

Inherited.

Knicker—Jones has a bad memory. Bocker—His mother never knew what were trumps, and his father couldn't remember anything on the witness stand.—New York Sun.

Those who can command themselves command others.—Hazlitt.

FLORAL ARISTOCRATS.

Orchids Are Not Parasites, and It Is Difficult to Raise Them.

Aristocrats of the flower kingdom—and probably the least understood. You hear them called parasites, which is only one of the common mistakes made about the orchid. You see a hundred different shapes and a dozen different colors grouped together, each shape perhaps a distinct family and each with a separate name.

In the first place, orchids are not parasites. A parasitical plant is one which gets nourishment from another plant. Certain orchids live on trees, but they get their food and drink from the air by means of aerial roots. We call them epiphytes. Other orchids get their nourishment directly from the ground. They're called terrestrial orchids.

People don't understand, either, why orchids cost so much. They fail to see why a tiny plant is sold for, say, $1,000. If they realized that rare orchids may have cost a long trip into a tropical jungle to obtain and that it takes from eight to ten years to raise a plant from the seed, with patient care and treatment, they could see why these flowers remain in the aristocratic class.

Only the orchid grower can understand all the details of his art, but the flower lover can easily learn to distinguish the various types.—Philadelphia North American.

THIS FISH IS A BUTCHER.

And He Carries His Saw In His Ugly Mouth at All Times.

Moral of this fish story is: The value of anything depends on how it is used. A safety match used to light a beacon lamp and another match used to set fire to a city have widely separated ranks in the realm of utility. On the same principle of values the sawfish belongs near the bottom rank in the ocean kingdom.

His saw, the presence of which you may have guessed already, consists of a long, beaklike mouth decorated with many sharp, firm spines. It varies in length with the size of the fish, some monsters twenty feet long carrying saws six feet long and a foot wide.

A saw, like a match, varies in value according to the way it is used. That's where the sawfish makes a fizzle of life. Think how much good he could accomplish by using his saw on harbors choked up with weeds, channels blocked with logs and lagoons crowded with trees and undergrowth.

Instead of a carpenter, a road builder, a farmer, the sawfish becomes a butcher. He swishes his saw this way and that quite recklessly and cuts up smaller fish into steaks and sausage, then he eats the pieces.—Philadelphia North American.

The Better Ways.

Let it be said once for all that it is better for both body and soul to be obliged to go hungry sometimes than to be full always; it is wholesomer to be weary frequently from hard work than to keep on a dead level of comfort or to know weariness only from the spinning dance and the daily pleasure; it is cleaner to be dusty and bathed in the blood and sweat of battle than to be so sheltered as not to know the meaning of a hand to hand conflict with a real problem or fierce temptation; it is grander to break the shackles of exclusiveness and walk free in the dingy city of social unpopularity than to be the idol of men and women who do not count for, but rather against, the progress of the race.—From "The Inspiration of Responsibility," by Bishop Charles H. Brent.

Meteors.

Meteors had an unusual influence on the Greeks and Romans, who in a way worshiped the falling bodies of luminosity. It is declared that the Palladium of Troy and the image of Diana at Ephesus were erected to meteors. At times the fall of these mysterious strangers has been accompanied by disastrous results, for it is on record in China that ten persons have been struck and killed by them. The Smithsonian institution has among its meteoric collections one which weighs in the neighborhood of 500 pounds, whose composition is nearly pure nickel. There have been discovered by chemical analysis twenty-nine elements in meteors, all of which are found on and in the earth.

Cats and Needles.

Cats seem to have a habit of swallowing needles. When a cat is brought to a veterinary hospital suffering with a cough the doctor always looks for a needle. In one instance Dr. Childs of New York operated on a cat to remove what he thought was an ordinary needle. He found a hatpin nine inches long. But the cat's life was saved.—Popular Science Monthly.

The Modern Moses.

"What's your idea of a party leader?"

"A party leader," replied Senator Sorghum, "is a man who finds out what the people want."

"And then gives it to them?"

"No; promises it."—Washington Star.

Pleasant Words.

Poet—I seek a phrase that shall express the joy of life in two words. Can you suggest anything? Unfeeling Friend—Received payment!—Judge.

Without an Effort.

Jack—Did your friend, Miss Howler, ever reach high C? Maud—Yes; one day at the dentist's I believe she did.—Boston Transcript.

Even the man who thinks he knows it all may change his mind after he gets married.—Philadelphia Record.

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Marriage Not An Incident

From The Thinkograph; F. J. Hulaniski, Editor.

A Miss Harding, spinster and editor of a woman's magazine in Chicago, has stirred up quite an argument and controversy in the windy city by asserting at a woman's meeting that marriage was no longer anything to women but an incident. The press and the pulpit have taken it up and much energy and hot air is being wasted that might be put into the presidential campaign to some purpose, or used to turn grindstones or blow windmills.

One woman correspondent in the daily press champions the assertion of Miss Harden, for the reason, she alleges, that men do not treat women as well as they should, and that they are all more or less of easy (or uneasy) virtue. She runs down American Chivalry and says the polished gentleman next to her at dinner is as apt to pinch her knee under the table as not. One paper comes back at the ladies and states that man is not the only biped that is not altogether virtuous, and that men have been known to come home of an evening and compliment the wife upon the brightness or her eyes and rosiness of her cheeks and be ignorant of the fact that the brightness and rosiness were due to a lover who has just made his get-away via the back door.

The facts are all of the parties to this argument are partly right and partly wrong—mainly wrong. Each is making the grave mistake of judging the majority by the minority, the many by the few. It is true that many men of loose morals break their marriage vows on small provocation, and it is also true that woman's virtue is about as cheap a commodity nowdays as there is on the market, but lapses of virtue are by no means the leading causes of domestic infelicity.

If the lady correspondent got her knee pinched at dinner it is dollars to doughnuts that she made some break which invited the familiarity, for it is the woman with a sign out that is thus insulted as a rule, and not the woman who maintains dignity and womanly reserve, and behaves herself.

It is a fact that the great majority of American men and women are good and virtuous and that is the class which goes to make up this great country and is its bulwark and mainstay today. There are hundreds of thousands of good, honest brave men in this country, and more hundreds of thousands of good, lovable, virtuous women, and anybody who judges them by the wrongdoings of others who lack honor and decency does a great wrong to the vast majority.

Dear Miss Hardin, being a spinster, what you do not know about marriage would make a very big book. Some day when you have accumulated a husband, home and family, and find yourself out in the back yard hanging out damp clothes on an uncertain line, with your ripe and dewy mouth wrapped around a basswood clothespin, while several sawed off editions of your own sweet self are roaring for more bread and jam, you will look back at this time when you said marriage was nothing more than an incident and be glad that the longer one lives in this world the more one finds out.

Marriage is not merely an incident in the lives of women. That is a lie, and a libel upon our mothers, our wives and those who are near and dear to us all. Marriage to woman comes pretty near being all there is in life for her, and all other things are but contributing influences, secondary and auxiliary to her wedded life, her husband, her home and her children. The great Almighty Power which rules over the destiny of this and all other nations and all mankind has decreed by Nature's laws that this shall be so. Man cannot have the babies, and he wouldn't if he could. Woman cannot fight the battles, kill the game, hew the wood or draw the water, as she is the weaker vessel physically. She must bear the children for Nature's laws and the devine command have made it so. Her marriage and wedded life are of necessity the acme of her existence and all the sour old maids of the Miss Hardin stripe cannot change one iota of God's laws or Nature's command.

The man or woman who contends that marriage and the rearing of a family is but an incident, or is a failure, has a diseased mind which has wandered off on one subject and strayed from the truth. God blesses the union of man and woman and loves the little children, for of such is the kingdom of heaven ,and it is the fiery-eyed devil with forked tongue and saw-teeth that is looking for the poor deluded fools who put the frivolites and the routine of life's vocations ahead of the happiness, peace and enjoyment of wedlock and love, which come nearer to being divine institutions than any other emotions or experiences this life has to give.

OPTIMISM AND PESSIMISM

Some good writers like Ed Howe of Atchison, for instance, who edits "Howe's Monthly," a very worthy publication given to the public at the absurd price of 10 cents a year, are holding that there can be too much optimism, too much glad-hand business and too much laughter and cheering. This is quite true, although seldom found. The extremes generally run in the other direction. One can get too much religion and become fanatical, but the fact remains that as a general rule we get too little religion instead of too much. There is nothing in this world better than a good wife, but we should not accumulate half a dozen of them. But for all that, is it not better to have even a trifle too much optimism than to be nursing a grouch all the time and go around hating the world and everybody in it? Better eat too much candy than too much poison. It is not necessary to be everlastingly grinning like a tooth wash advertisement or otherwise acting like a blithering idiot to feel and have and radiate a fair and reasonable amount of optimism, and it is certainly far better to be polite, courteous, kind and pleasant than be sad and gloomy like an undertaker or a chronic dyspeptic. Too much sunshine may tan the face and hands and freckle the nose, but it is proferable to fog, icicles and chilblains.

Optimism and a cheerful disposition, mixed with good old-fashioned horse sense, is good for the health, good for business and helps everybody and everything.

Pessimism, on the other hand, knocks out the liver, congeals the blood, sours the milk of human kindness in the breast and overcasts life's sky with depressing clouds.

DISCONTENT A MIGHTY SPUR

An Englishman has diagonosed Americanitis as an aggravated case of discontent and recommends that our people settle down and quit continually scrambling for more.

Preach contentment to incurable invalids but not to healthy men and women; it is the philosophy of the oyster; the first qualification of stupidity. A contented people live only to marry, eat, drink and die. The people who dominate are restless, energetic, discontented. The sole difference between a country village unchanged by a century and a country village that in such a space of time has become a Chicago is the sole difference between contentment and discontent.

Take down any history, any encyclopedia, any book wherein are contained the names and achievements of men and there will not be one whose name excites admiration but was driven to his fame by the scorpion lash of discontent. Every invention, every triumph of science, every work of art arose from the same source; discontent is the torturing master of genius that forces men through stupendous labors.

Christ taught discontentment; His apostles preached it; Savonarola and Luther practiced it. There is nothing more to reform; there is nothing more to achievement; it is the essence of moral and physical evolution.

It was discontentment that flung the frontier lines of civilization westward; that has transformed deserts unfit for the habitation of Digger Indians into gardens and grain-laden farms, that has leveled mountains for the foundations of such cities as Seattle; that has raised from the ashes of fire and quake such cities as San Francisco.

Pseudo philosophers write the imaginary blessings of contentment which are printed on cardboard and surrounded with golden tracery, being labeled "A Motto," fit only to be pirned on the walls of a dilettante's boudoir. Invade a box car, pinch a tramp into wakefulness, offer him a paying job of little work, and listen to his reply; it will be that of total and supreme contentment. He asks for nothing; he wants nothing; he is useless, as contented people are always useless. They look at the footprints left by speeding Opportunity and smile!

Keeping track of politics nowdays is as active a stunt as sleeping with a flea.

Seems like there is getting to be an awful lot of lodge men and club women. What's the matter with home?

With all these automobiles, fast trains and aeroplanes, it makes one wonder how people used to get along traveling horseback or by canal boat.

Time certainly beats the aeroplanes flying. One no sooner gets the spring stuff paid for until the fall styles loom up.

Just because marriages are made in heaven is no good reason for you to put it off until you get to headquarters. "Do it now."

An Iowa woman says Adam was a typical man—sore disappointment to his wife as soon as the novelty wore off. Guess that is more than half right. I never did have much use for that lying old lobster, anyhow, because he tried to throw all the blame on the woman.

The booze a man gets at a drug store is not much better as a rule than the complexions the women get there, and this is not intended as a knock at the honorable pill and powder industry.

I used to think I understood the tariff question, but that was about 20 years ago, when I belonged to a debating society.

New Yorkers get Texas strawberries in midwinter, with their normal complexion tinged with a bilious green and a taste as sour as a grouchy disposition—all for about a nickle apiece; while we of salubrious California go out in the back yard and pick them most any month of the year, ripe, large, luscious, red and as sweet as a honeymoon.

"I look upon this European conflict," says Henry Cl s, New York banker and writer, "as an anti-Christ war. What else can it creditably be called, with its brutal wholesale mow down, by the most modern killing machinery, of all kinds of human beings, comprising all religion without regard to race, and without mercy, the like of which the world has never previously witnessed. The peoples of all nations should rebel even against their governments, if necessary, to stop it."

Men go to church to see the pretty women and many women go to see what the other women have on.

You can do a big thing if you are not in a big place.

Some people's religion is: "Down with everything up and up with everything down."

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Mr. H. R. Taylor. 49-3tp

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the county Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave. Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave. Richmond
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr. 915 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanslor Ave. Richmond.
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As for Modesto. Well, the whole team is coming in a big special train which it has chartered for the occasion.

Sunday's game wil be the first of a series of three. The second game will be played in Modesto. The place at which the deciding game is played will be decided in favor of the town registering the largest gate receipts. So turn out.

MOSBACHER'S

Just as this paper was going on the press the well known Mosbacher Cloak and Suit House, of Oakland, sent in an advertisement, which appears elsewhere in this issue. As we have often said before, we say again, that we do not want you to go to Oakland or anywhere else outside of Richmond to trade, but as several thousands of you will do it, always have done it and likely always will do it, then all we can do is to try and keep you posted as to which houses there you will be treated right at and be given the most for your money. One of these is Mosbacher's. It is one of the old established firms of our sister city and it has a reputation for buying large consignments of goods in the east at rockbottom prices and selling them out here at figures that are hard to duplicate anywhere on the Pacific coast. That's where the big house and the man with money has the edge over the small dealer. We have known Mr. Mosbacher and a number of his assistants for years, and personally know that they have a very large stock of latest style goods at all times, mark them down to a reasonable price and treat everybody white and square that deals with them.

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6:45 Epworth League.

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All people, regardless of creed or belief will find a welcome here at the common meeting place of all the common people.

We are indebted to H. Gordon Stevens for one of the elegent badges the California delegation to the Democratic national convention wore to St. Louis. It is on yellow ribbon, with a heavy golden bear at the top and a fac simile of the old California $50 gold slug coined here in the days of '49. It is a gorgous badge, all right and will certainly attract attention. Stevens got two of them from the big Democratic guns who went on the California special train, which was one of the finest trains ever made up out of the West.

CONSTRUCTION WORK STARTED ON 10 HOMES

Preliminary work started yesterday on the construction of ten 'company houses' of the General Roofing Manufacturing company near their big 'mill' in the northern part of the city. These ten houses compose the first unit of sixty houses which will be erected rapidly.

With the coming of seventy-five skilled workmen from the St. Louis mill of the roofing company the need for new homes in Richmond becomes imperative. Other employes in excess of the experienced Eastern men will be chosen from Richmond residents was the statement of an official of the roofing company a few days ago.

OLD MAN $$$ IS ON THE JOB FOR DUGGAN

One year ago a second edition of Auty Duggan, the prominent Realty operator, arrived at the Duggan home and Auty deposited $100 to the credit of Duggan Jr. and with the rolling by of a year "little old man four percent" has added his quato to the coffers of Duggan Jr. Watch him grow.

W. P. LINE IS WANTED THROUGH THE COUNTY

MARTINEZ—An invitation has been issued to the officials of the Western Pacific Railroad Company to visit Martinez and view the route of a proposed line into this city and on down to Richmond. The invitation has been issued by the Greater Martinez Improvement Club.

KNIGHTS BANQUET DELEGATES

Delegates Jack Gregory and Allen Davis of Richmond Temple No. 13 of Knights of Pythias will be banqueted this evening at a big spread to be laid in Pythian Castle. The convention of Pythian lodges of California was held in San Bernardino this year, and Richmond is reported as being in the list.

OPENING DATE OF BRANCH STORE NEARS

With crews at work installing fixtures and equipment, all modern and elegant, the new branch store to be opened by the La Moine Drug company at Ninth and Macdonald in the new Cunningham building the date of opening the store is rapidly nearing. It will be under the management of Manager Fred B. La Moine's brother, C. E. LaMoine, and will be the newest and most modern equipped store in Richmond.

Judge Kennon had quite a row with the police department over his stock of Fourth o f July fireworks. The police notified him to quit selling fireworks until July 3rd, but he refused to do so, and the city attorney decided he was right. The ordinance covers the firing of them, but not the selling.

Secretary Long of the Chamber of Commerce is doing a lot of boost writing nowdays to eastern sections, trying to induce manufacturing interests to establish branch factories here. This is mighty good work and will bring good results in time.

NEW BENEFIT-PENSION PLAN FOR EXPRESSMEN

An announcement from the main offices of the Wells Fargo & Co. Express has been received by the Richmond Agent, which notifies all employes of a new benefit and pension system which was inaugurated June 1, 1916.

Under it the old age pension ruling of the company is made more inclusive and liberal, and a sick and accident compensation has been added. An injured employe, if fifteen years or over in the service, is permanently incapacitated he will secure a pension until his death.

An interesting feature of the plan is that which provides for the continuance of a man's salary to his beneficiaries for a season after his death. It is a principle written into many of the new policies of insurance companies, and provides a support for the bereaved family for a few months after the sad and staggering loss of the bread winner.

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3 Pounds Fine Coffee 55c
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